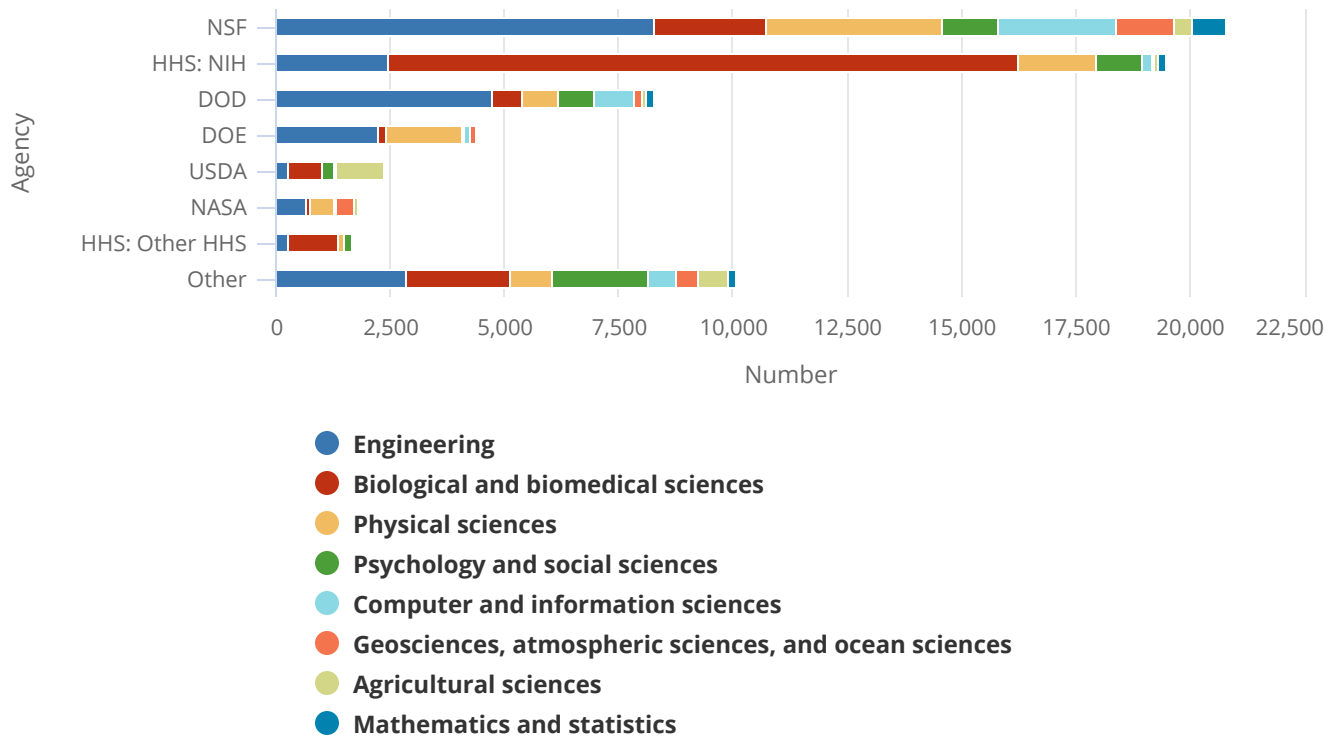


FIGURE 2-4

Full-time graduate students in science, engineering, and health primarily supported by the federal government, by field and agency: 2017



DOD = Department of Defense; DOE = Department of Energy; HHS = Department of Health and Human Services; NASA = National Aeronautics and Space Administration; NIH = National Institutes of Health; NSF = National Science Foundation; USDA = Department of Agriculture.

Note(s)

Agricultural sciences also include natural resources and conservation. Biological and biomedical sciences also include health. Multi- and interdisciplinary studies were excluded.

Source(s)

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